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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Helmut Glimpel et al.

Serial No.: 10/688,150

Filing Date: October 17, 2003

Title: Thread Milling or Cutting Tool and
Method for the Production Thereof

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Examiner: Cadugan, Erica E.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED December 13, 2004

In response to the Examiner's Office Action of December 13, 2004, Applicant submits the following Remarks.

As the one-month shortened statutory period for reply was due January 13, 2005, Applicants respectfully request a two-month extension of time, with the appropriate fee, to extend the period of reply to March 13, 2005. Therefore, this Response is considered timely filed.